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(WHCHC) President & Executive Director

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Hi Lisa:

Love to talk with you about this position. While I'm not "actively" looking I do know some folks who may fit the position you're trying to fill.

Take care

Bob

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President & Executive Director

Hi Bob,

See below and attached for email and materials from a friend and fellow Coro-alumna, Lisa Kalustian, cc'd on this email. Lisa is helping with the search for a new President & CEO for West Hollywood Community Housing Corp. Since you're so much more entrenched in the world than I, I thought you might be a good person for her to speak with. I'm hoping you can find a window in your busy schedule to connect.

I'll let you two take it from here. Please feel free to loop me back in if I can be helpful!

Best,

Ellen

Ellen Riotto

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& Executive Director

Hello Ellen,

Hope all is well! I'm tapping into my Coro network for a project -- I am working with Johnston & Company, the executive search firm retained by the West Hollywood Community Housing Corporation Board of Directors to conduct a search for the corporation's President & CEO. I'm thinking you may have some good recommendations for us as to people and organizations we should be contacting.

In partnership with the Board of Directors, the President & CEO will lead the corporation's future growth and development throughout the Greater LA area while forging creative approaches to future financing structures, new partnerships and innovative services. The successful candidate will be an experienced professional with the ability to expand, elevate and enhance WHCHC's profile with business, media, public sector leaders, foundations and the public; cultivate and promote understanding of the WHCHC's role in providing unique services; assist in developing a diverse base of donors; and deepen WHCHC's presence and impact in advocacy efforts. An understanding of affordable housing development and finance is desirable.

A Position Announcement is attached for your information and consideration. I would welcome a chance to speak with you briefly about your suggestions for people we should consider for this important role and opportunity.

Please let me know your availability for a call and the best number to reach you and I will confirm as soon as possible. Your input is highly regarded and will be deeply appreciated! I look forward to hearing from you.

Best regards, Lisa Kalustian

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Incorporated in 1986, West Hollywood Community Housing Corporation (WHCHC) is a nonprofit community development organization. WHCHC's mission is to develop safe, decent and affordable housing for people with limited income, including those with special needs. WHCHC has developed 17 apartment communities with 530 units, which provide stable high quality living environments to approximately 800 limited-income people living in the Cities of West Hollywood, Glendale and Los Angeles. The current development pipeline is robust and includes projects located in the cities of West Hollywood and Los Angeles that will result in the production of 231+ new apartments for approximately 350 extremely, very and low income people.

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